

Appln. No. 10/798,774
Preliminary Amdt. Dated September 23, 2005

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Yoshifumi Shiraishi, et al.
Appln. No. : 10/798,774
Filed : March 11, 2004
Title : A DEVICE TO PREVENT CARTRIDGE INCORRECT INSERTION,
A CARTRIDGE AUTOCHANGER, AND A CARTRIDGE AUTOMATIC
CONTROL DEVICE WITH AN AUTOCHANGER

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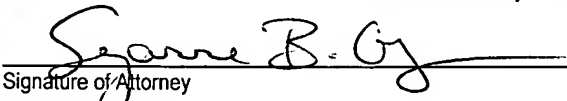
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT "A"

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application, prior to examination thereof, in the following manner. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$950.00 for the addition of 11 claims in excess of 20, and 2 independent claims in excess of 3.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.

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